

**REMARKS**

Old Claims 1-25, submitted with the original application have been cancelled and resubmitted as new Claims 26-50, modified as described in the following paragraph.

Multiple dependencies have been removed.

New Claim 25 (old Claim 1) now has the added limitation that the method is carried out a "at a temperature of 20 - 100° C".

Old Claim 22 has been omitted.

Old Claim 2 has been divided into new Claims 27 and 28.

**Information Disclosure Statement**


An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is being filed concurrently herewith. Entry of the IDS is respectfully requested.

**CONCLUSION**

It is believed that all claims are in condition for allowance, and it is respectfully requested that the application be passed to issue. If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this case, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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